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Applicants: T. Miyamoto et al. Attorney Docket No.: YKIA122876
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3. X Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.
4. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1740.

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	F6	JP 62-45793		03/19/1987	JP	X	
	F7	JP 9-171679		06/30/1997	JP	X	

OTHER INFORMATION

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None

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